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SUBJ: GHANA DEBT AGREEMENT: CONTRACT REVIEW CLAUSE

1. DURING CONVERSATION JUNE 24 WITH MAJOR GENERAL ASHLEY-LASSEN ON ANOTHER SUBJECT, I RAISED QUESTION OF CONTRACT REVIEW CLAUSE OF DEBT AGREEMENT, SINCE GOG HAS PROMISED COMPLETE STUDY BY END OF JUNE.

2. WITH HIS USUAL SMILE, ASHLEY-LASSEN SAID THAT REPORT, WHICH WOULD BE MADE THIS WEEKEND, SHOULD NOT GIVE ANYONE ANY PROBLEM, QUOTE ESPECIALLY YOU, SINCE YOU HAD NO PROBLEM TO BEGIN WITH. UNQUOTE AS AN AFTERTHOUGHT HE ADDED THAT IN ANY CASE THERE WOULD BE NOTHING THAT COULDN'T QUITE EASILY BE WORKED OUT.

3. WHILE THIS CONFIRMS OUR OTHER REPORTS, I WONDER IF A FEW FINANCIAL HAIRS MAY NOT BE PULLED FROM THE TAIL OF THE BRITISH LION WITHOUT, HOWEVER, UPSETTING THE BASIC ARRANGEMENT. I REMAIN REASONABLY CONFIDENT THAT HAVING MADE THE ROME AGREEMENT, THE GHANAIS DO NOT PLAN TO OVERTURN IT.
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